NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE STATE OF NEBRASKA

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STATE OF NEBRASKA)	
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE,)	
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PETITIONER,) CONSENT ORDE	R
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VS.)	
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MATTHEW SLEISTER,) CAUSE NO. A-159	0
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RESPONDENT.)	

In order to resolve this matter, the Nebraska Department of Insurance ("Department"), by and through its attorney, Martin W. Swanson and Matthew Sleister, ("Respondent"), mutually stipulate and agree as follows:

JURISDICTION

- 1. The Department has jurisdiction over the subject matter and Respondent pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §44-101.01 and §44-4001, et seq.
- 2. Respondent was licensed as an insurance agent under the laws of Nebraska at all times material hereto.

STIPULATIONS OF FACT

- 1. The Department initiated this administrative proceeding by filing a petition styled State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs. Matthew Sleister, Cause Number A-1590 on August 26, 2004. A copy of the petition was served upon the Respondent at the Respondent's home address and registered with the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested.
- 2. Respondent violated Neb. Rev. Stat. §§44-4059(1)(b), 44-1524 and 44-1525(11) as a result of the following conduct:

During the course of an investigation, Barbara Ems, a consumer affairs investigator for the Nebraska Department of Insurance, sent a letter to Respondent on July 21, 2004 requesting information pursuant to that investigation. The Department received a response from Respondent on August 19, 2004, postmarked by the United States Postal Service on August 18, 2004. Respondent failed to respond to the July 21, 2004 letter from Ms. Ems within fifteen (15) working days.

- 3. Respondent was informed of his right to a public hearing. Respondent waives that right, and enters into this Consent Order freely and voluntarily. Respondent understands and acknowledges that by waiving his right to a public hearing, Respondent also waives his right to confrontation of witnesses, production of evidence, and judicial review.
 - 4. Respondent admits the allegations contained stated in Paragraph #2 above.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Respondent's conduct as alleged above constitutes a violation of Neb. Rev. Stat. §§44-4059(1)(b), 44-1524 and 44-1525(11).

CONSENT ORDER

It is therefore ordered by the Director of Insurance and agreed to by Respondent, Matthew Sleister, that he shall pay an administrative fine of \$750. The fine shall be paid in total within thirty days after the Director of the Department of Insurance affixes his signature to this document and approves said consent agreement. If Respondent fails to pay this fine in the time specified, his Nebraska's insurance producers license shall automatically be revoked. In witness of their intention to be bound by this Consent Order, each party has executed this document by subscribing his signature below.

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Martin W. Swanson, #20795	Respondent
Attorney for Nebraska	9-22-04
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State of Nebraska County of Langaster)
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County of CHANGUSTEY)
On this 22 nd day of Se	ptymber, 2004, Matthew Sleister personally appeared
before me and read this Consent Or	rder, executed the same and acknowledged the same to be his
	Nøtary Public GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska TRACY A. GRUHN My Comm. Etp. April 7, 2007 going Consent Order is adopted as the Final Order of the
Thereby certify that the foreg	cong consent order is adopted as the rinar order or the
Nebraska Department of Insurance in	n the matter of State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs.
Matthew Sleister, Cause No. A-1590).
	STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
	L. TIM WAGNER Director of Insurance
	<u>9/23/04</u> Date

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the executed Consent Order was sent to the Respondent, at 13310 Fort Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68164, by certified mail, return receipt requested on this 21 day of SLOW DN 2004.